

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
SOUTHERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

Case No. 1:00-cr-183-03

v.

HONORABLE PAUL L. MALONEY

LYTARIAN LADON WEAVER

Defendant.

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**MEMORANDUM OPINION AND ORDER**

Defendant Lytarian Ladon Weaver has filed a motion for modification or reduction of sentence pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §3582(c)(2) based on the modification of the Drug Quantity Table with respect to cocaine base (crack cocaine).

Section 3582(c)(2) permits a court to reduce the term of imprisonment of a defendant who has been sentenced based on a sentencing range that has subsequently been lowered by the Sentencing Commission. 18 U.S.C. § 3582(c)(2). Amendment 706 and 711 of the United States Sentencing Guidelines modified the Drug Quantity Table with regard to cocaine base (crack cocaine). These modifications were made retroactive effective March 8, 2008. U.S.S.G. § 1B1.10(c).

However, Defendant Weaver is not eligible for a sentence modification for two reasons. First, he was sentenced as a career offender to the mandatory minimum required by statute of 120 months in custody. Second, Amendment 706 does not lower his guideline computation. Accordingly,

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that Defendant Lytarian Ladon Weaver's motion for modification of sentence pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3582(c)(2) (Dkt. #86) is **DENIED**.

Date: April 16, 2009

/s/ Paul L. Maloney

Paul L. Maloney

Chief United States District Judge